

# August Job Postings 2022-2023 Comparison



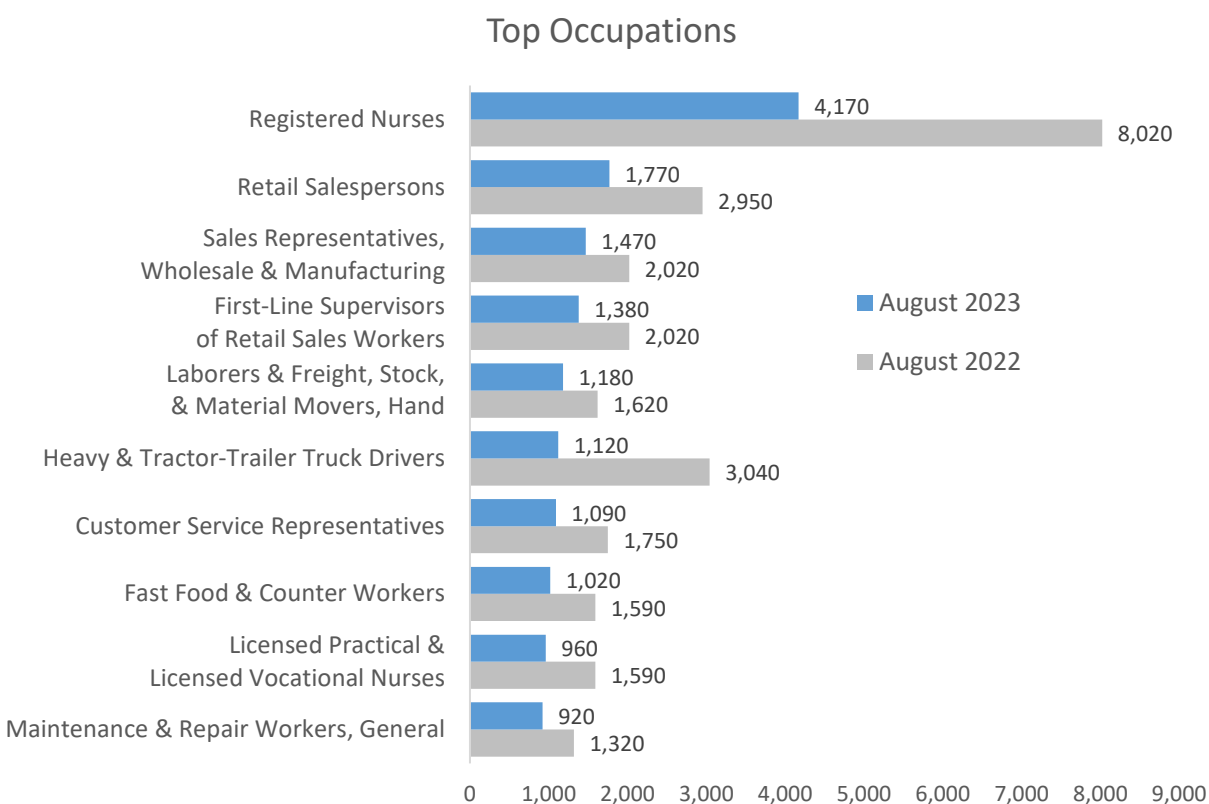
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## Job Demand

Job postings decreased by 36% from August 2022 to August 2023. In August 2023, there were 63,510 online job postings compared to 99,190 in August 2022. The seasonally adjusted August 2023 unemployment rate of 2.8 percent in Missouri was higher than last month's (July 2023) rate of 2.7 percent and last year's (August 2022) rate of 2.4 percent.

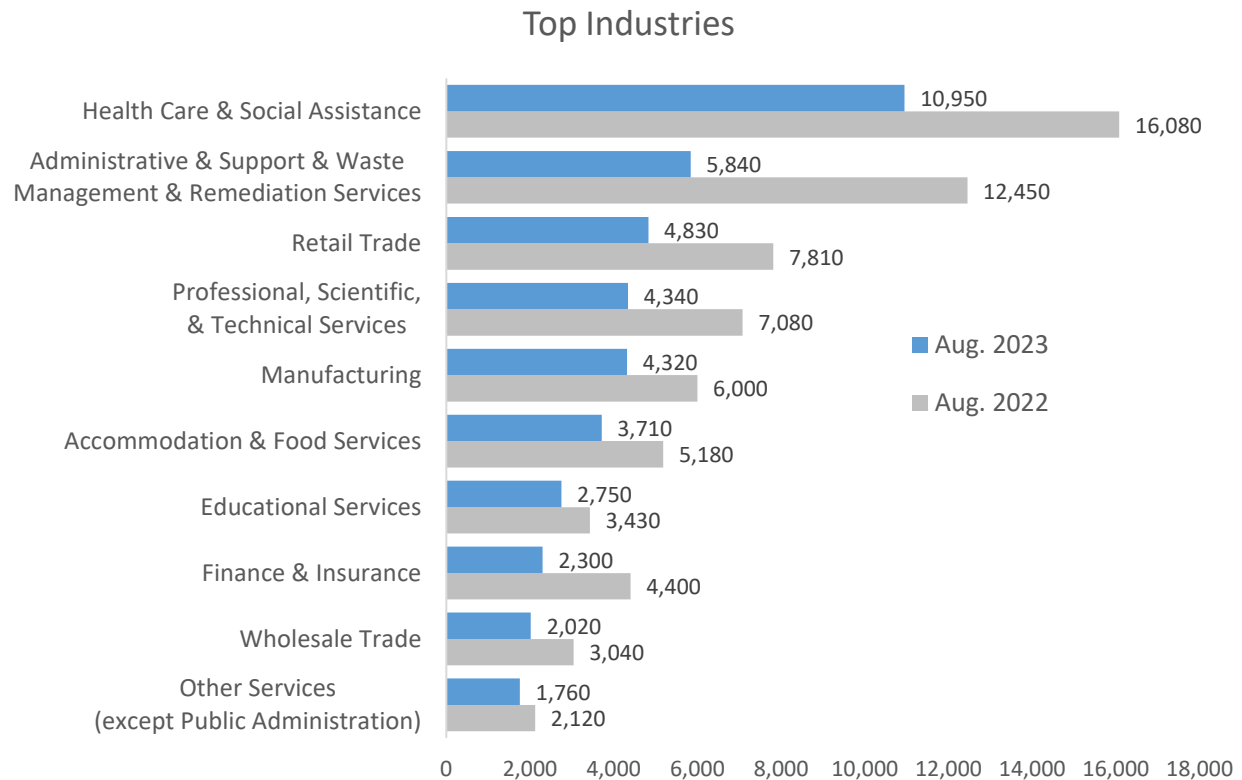
## Top Occupations

The following chart shows the top 10 occupations with the most job postings in August 2023 compared to the number of job postings in August 2022. All occupations decreased compared to last year. Heavy and Tractor-Trailer Truck Drivers had the largest decrease at 63%.



## Top Industries

The following chart shows the industries with the most job postings in August 2023 compared to August 2022. All industries decreased compared to last year. Administrative and Support and Waste Management and Remediation Services had the largest decrease at 53%.



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